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Mr. Charles L. A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Attached for filing with the Commission are the following tariff pages with an effective date of November 27, 2007:

General Subscriber Service Tariff

Section A5 - Contents – Forty Fifth Revised Page1  
- Fourth Revised Page 4

This filing eliminates the Charges for Unusual Repair section from the General Subscriber Service Tariff.

This tariff change will allow AT&T South Carolina to seek to recover its actual damages (instead of a pre-set tarified amount) when contractors and other persons or entities damage AT&T South Carolina buried service wires. This consistent with the treatment of damages to other AT&T South Carolina facilities, and it is consistent with the treatment of damages to AT&T buried service wires throughout the Southeast region.

This filing will have little, if any, impact on AT&T South Carolina's residential customers because AT&T South Carolina typically does not seek recovery from residential customers who mistakenly damage the buried service wire that serves their own homes.

Yours very truly,

Cindy Cox  
Vice President

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## **A5. CHARGES APPLICABLE UNDER SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

### **A5.1 Construction Charges (Cont'd)**

#### **A5.1.8 Rearrangement of Existing Plant (Cont'd)**

- B.** Where by statute, ordinance or other legal requirement, existing aerial facilities are required to be re-located underground, the Company will charge the net cost attributable to such relocation to the local exchange subscribers located within the political subdivision or area affected by such statute, ordinance or other legal requirement.

#### **A5.1.9 Construction Required for Temporary Service**

When construction is required for temporary service and there is no immediate prospect of reusing the plant provided, the subscriber may be required to bear all or a portion of the cost of such construction.

#### **A5.1.10 Reserved for Future Use**

#### **A5.1.11 Special Construction Charges for Multiple Lines Terminated at Private Residence Locations**

- A.** When a subscriber requests more than five (5) total lines or requests additional lines that result in more than five (5) total lines to a residence location, special construction charges may apply. If existing facilities are not available to satisfy the subscriber's request, it may be necessary to place an additional service drop or to use approved electronics to avoid placing a cable. If electronics are utilized, the subscriber shall be responsible for the non-reusable material costs and the labor costs, including removing and relocating the electronics. If the Company deems it appropriate to place a cable from the right-of-way or easement to the premises, the special construction charges should include the costs to construct the cable and the terminal which are not reusable for other subscribers.
- B.** When a subscriber requests more than five (5) total lines or requests additional lines that results in a total of more than five (5) lines at a residence location that requires the reinforcement of the distribution cable, special construction charges shall apply for the portion of the distribution facility that would not normally have been placed at that location by the Company. (T)
1. If the cable is sized to serve only the subscriber's request, i.e. the existing cable is properly sized for the current additional line usage for that location, the total cost for the construction of the cable and associated terminal(s) shall be billed to the subscriber making the request.
  2. If the cable is sized to reinforce the existing distribution facility as well as serve the subscriber's request, only the portion of the material and labor costs above the costs to reinforce the embedded cable shall be billed to the subscriber making the request.
- C.** The Company reserves the right to require a customer to pay special construction charges prior to the start of construction.
- D.** Construction charges may apply to a private residence location in accordance with other provisions contained within Section A5 for subscriber requests of five (5) or less lines. (T)

### **A5.2 (DELETED)**

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### **A5.3 Charges for Unusual Installations**

#### **A5.3.1 Reserved for Future Use**